

13049 U.S. PTO
08/27/03

Atty. Dkt. No. 051091-2101

0391 U.S. PTO
10/650262
08/27/03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yerramilli V.S.N. Murthy, et al.

Title: METHODS FOR THE
CONTROLLED DELIVERY OF
PHARMACOLOGICALLY ACTIVE
COMPOUNDS

Appl. No.: Unknown

Filing Date: August 27, 2003

Examiner: Unknown

Art Unit: Unknown

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service's "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

EL990322995 US August 27, 2003
(Express Mail Label Number) (Date of Deposit)

Line Gauthier
(Printed Name)

Line Gauthier
(Signature)

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

Yerramilli V.S.N. Murthy
2212 Oak Stream Lane
Apex, NC 27523

Robert H. Suva
215 Pope Road
Windham, ME 04062

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (33 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (3 sheets, Figures 1, 2, and 3).

[X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Filed		Included in Basic Fee		Extra Claims		Rate		Fee Totals
Basic Fee							\$750.00		\$750.00
Total	44	-	20	=	24	x	\$18.00	=	\$432.00
Claims:									
Independent	4	-	3	=	1	x	\$84.00	=	\$84.00
ts:									
If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present:						+	\$280.00	=	\$0.00
Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for late payment of filing fee						+	\$130.00	=	\$130.00
							SUBTOTAL:	=	\$1396.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):								=	\$0.00
							TOTAL FILING FEE:	=	\$1,396.00

[] A check in the amount of \$0.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

[X] The required filing fees are not enclosed but will be submitted in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

[] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Date: August 27, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

FOLEY & LARDNER

Customer Number: 30542



30542

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Telephone: (858) 847-6700

Facsimile: (858) 792-6773

By

Richard San Pietro
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 45,071